

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A chair mounted back support system comprising:

a plurality of chairs;

a support belt, said support belt having a center portion and having a first distal end and a second distal end;

means of attachment of said first distal end to said second distal end;

a tether attachable to a plurality of chairs and having an attachment to said support belt at a first tether end and having a second tether end; [[and]]

means of attachment of said second tether end to [[the]] a rear of a said chair having a first fastener half attached to said second tether end and a second fastener half secured to said chair with said first half removably engageable with said second half with each of said plurality of chairs having a second half of said fastener secured thereto;

said support belt securable around [[the]] a torso of a user in an attached position, by attachment of said first distal end to said second distal end; [[and]]

said support belt providing a means to restrain [[the]] a forward lean of said user when said user leans away from said rear of a said chair; and

whereby said support belt in said attached position is removably attachable to any of said plurality of chairs allowing said user to move between any of said plurality of chairs and attach said tether thereto without removing said support belt from said attached position.

Claims 2-6 (Cancelled)

7. (Currently Amended) The chair mounted back support system of claim [[2]] 25, additionally comprising:

said means of attachment of said second tether end to the rear of a chair comprising:

a fastener, said fastener having a first half attached to said second tether end;

said fastener having a second half, said second half secured to said chair; and

said first half removably engageable with said second half.

8. (Currently Amended) The chair mounted back support system of claim [[3]] 26, additionally comprising:

said means of attachment of said second tether end to the rear of a chair comprising:

a fastener, said fastener having a first half attached to said second tether end;

said fastener having a second half, said second half secured to said chair; and

said first half removably engageable with said second half.

Claims 9-11 (Cancelled)

12. (Currently Amended) The chair mounted back support system of claim [[10]] 25, additionally comprising:

means for horizontal adjustment of said top surface whereby said top surface may be translated toward or away from said center portion of said support belt.

13. (Currently Amended) The chair mounted back support system of claim [[2]] 25, additionally comprising:

said support belt having a top edge and a bottom edge; and

means for vertical adjustment of said top surface toward and away from said top edge.

14. (Currently Amended) The chair mounted back support system of claim [[10]] 25, additionally comprising:

said support belt having a top edge and a bottom edge; and
means for vertical adjustment of said top surface toward and away from
said top edge.

15. (Original) The chair mounted back support system of claim 12, additionally comprising:

said support belt having a top edge and a bottom edge; and
means for vertical adjustment of said top surface toward and away from
said top edge.

Claim 16 (Cancelled)

17. (Currently Amended) The chair mounted back support system of claim [[10]] 25, additionally comprising:

means to rotate said elbow support toward and away from said support
belt from an attachment point thereto.

18. (Currently Amended) The chair mounted back support system of claim [[11]] 26, additionally comprising:

means to rotate said elbow support toward and away from said support
belt from an attachment point thereto.

Claim 19 (Cancelled)

20. (Original) The chair mounted back support system of claim 15, additionally comprising:

means to rotate said elbow support toward and away from said support belt from an attachment point thereto.

Claims 21 and 22 (Cancelled)

23. (Currently Amended) The chair mounted back support system of claim 1 additionally comprising:

shoulder straps extending between said center portion of said support belt and said first distal end and said second distal end of said support belt.

24. (Currently Amended) The chair mounted back support system of claim [[2]] 25 additionally comprising:

shoulder straps extending between said center portion of said support belt and said first distal end and said second distal end of said support belt.

25. (New) A chair mounted back support system comprising:

a support belt, said support belt having a center portion and having a first distal end and a second distal end, said support belt further having a first side surface defined by the area of said support belt between said first distal end and said center portion, and a second side surface defined by the area of said support belt between said second distal end and said center portion;

means of attachment of said first distal end to said second distal end;

at least one elbow support, said elbow support having a top surface, said top surface adapted for support of an elbow;

means of attachment of said elbow support to said support belt to at least one of said first side surface or said second side surface of said support belt;

means for angular adjustment of said top surface of said elbow support;

a tether having an attachment to said support belt at a first tether end and having a second tether end;

means of attachment of said second tether end to a rear of a chair;

said support belt securable around a torso of a user in an attached position, by attachment of said first distal end to said second distal end; and

said support belt providing a means to restrain a forward lean of said user when said user leans away from said rear of said chair.

26. (New) A chair mounted back support system comprising:

a support belt, said support belt having a center portion and having a first distal end and a second distal end, said support belt further having a first side surface defined by the area of said support belt between said first distal end and said center portion, and a second side surface defined by the area of said support belt between said second distal end and said center portion;

means of attachment of said first distal end to said second distal end;

at least one elbow support, said elbow support having a top surface, said top surface adapted for support of an elbow;

means of attachment of said elbow support to said support belt to at least one of said first side surface or said second side surface of said support belt;

means for horizontal adjustment of said top surface whereby said top surface may be translated toward or away from said center portion of said support belt;

a tether having an attachment to said support belt at a first tether end and having a second tether end;

means of attachment of said second tether end to a rear of a chair;

said support belt securable around a torso of a user in an attached position, by attachment of said first distal end to said second distal end; and

said support belt providing a means to restrain a forward lean of said user when said user leans away from said rear of said chair.